

Table II. B. 2. a(1996) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State: United States, 1996 (40 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	81.3%	85.2%	81.8%	79.0%	81.9%	81.1%	82.2%	81.1%
New England:								
Maine	86.5%	72.3%	75.0%	81.4%	92.2%	92.0%	75.6%	91.2%
Massachusetts	83.0%	78.9%	86.3%	74.5%	84.0%	86.3%	73.9%	85.5%
Connecticut	83.2%	80.8%	73.4%	80.3%	73.9%	88.2%	79.3%	84.2%
Middle Atlantic:								
New York	78.5%	84.6%	73.8%	79.9%	75.2%	79.4%	79.7%	78.1%
New Jersey	81.5%	82.3%	78.7%	81.5%	88.3%	79.1%	81.8%	81.4%
Pennsylvania	81.2%	82.3%	82.5%	80.3%	81.5%	80.8%	82.0%	81.0%
East North Central:								
Ohio	87.8%	85.3%	88.4%	84.2%	86.1%	89.6%	85.4%	88.4%
Indiana	81.6%	84.4%	79.4%	79.8%	76.6%	84.8%	76.8%	82.7%
Illinois	85.2%	92.2%	89.3%	82.0%	83.9%	84.8%	87.2%	84.5%
Michigan	81.4%	80.2%	80.3%	72.2%	84.6%	82.0%	77.0%	82.6%
Wisconsin	80.3%	86.1%	80.0%	80.0%	82.8%	78.0%	79.1%	80.6%
West North Central:								
Minnesota	81.1%	83.5%	80.8%	81.0%	71.0%	86.1%	83.9%	80.2%
Iowa	80.8%	64.0%	69.1%	79.0%	87.7%	85.3%	71.2%	84.7%
Missouri	80.1%	86.0%	85.8%	73.8%	91.0%	76.3%	83.3%	79.3%
Nebraska	70.8%	87.1%	47.5%	74.3%	76.6%	71.4%	65.1%	73.0%
Kansas	76.3%	79.9%	83.2%	75.2%	84.7%	70.7%	79.1%	75.4%
South Atlantic:								
Maryland	83.6%	82.7%	71.5%	80.4%	91.7%	84.1%	78.2%	85.6%
Virginia	81.3%	88.7%	81.2%	81.1%	84.5%	79.3%	82.7%	80.9%
West Virginia	84.5%	88.6%	91.4%	79.1%	84.9%	84.5%	85.1%	84.3%
North Carolina	82.7%	76.2%	82.5%	70.5%	84.5%	86.1%	81.6%	83.0%
South Carolina	87.4%	92.9%	85.3%	79.2%	83.4%	90.0%	89.1%	86.9%
Georgia	79.8%	87.6%	82.2%	67.5%	89.7%	78.7%	82.7%	79.2%
Florida	84.5%	84.9%	86.9%	78.8%	88.1%	83.8%	83.7%	84.7%
East South Central:								
Kentucky	84.9%	87.5%	78.5%	72.2%	84.6%	88.6%	79.8%	86.6%
Tennessee	76.7%	85.2%	88.1%	90.9%	89.4%	68.6%	89.3%	74.6%
Alabama	84.6%	92.2%	83.5%	86.7%	75.3%	87.2%	86.3%	84.2%
Mississippi	76.6%	79.9%	83.1%	77.6%	81.1%	73.2%	83.4%	75.3%
West South Central:								
Arkansas	82.8%	78.9%	74.3%	72.5%	83.3%	87.0%	75.4%	85.1%
Louisiana	74.3%	93.6%	83.3%	80.9%	60.0%	78.2%	84.0%	71.4%
Oklahoma	76.9%	83.8%	82.4%	85.6%	78.0%	70.8%	82.4%	75.1%
Texas	76.8%	92.6%	85.9%	86.8%	75.7%	72.9%	88.4%	74.7%
Mountain:								
Colorado	82.2%	82.8%	85.3%	84.3%	84.9%	79.4%	85.7%	80.9%
New Mexico	74.9%	85.0%	78.1%	73.7%	77.7%	71.1%	81.6%	72.7%
Arizona	83.2%	92.7%	82.3%	79.3%	81.6%	83.2%	84.4%	82.8%
Utah	78.4%	80.3%	79.9%	74.1%	77.2%	79.9%	80.7%	77.9%
Nevada	73.1%	83.8%	85.1%	73.5%	74.8%	70.2%	80.3%	71.5%
Pacific:								
Washington	75.2%	89.4%	72.1%	71.4%	82.6%	70.5%	78.1%	74.2%
Oregon	83.6%	90.5%	71.7%	84.5%	79.4%	86.5%	83.2%	83.7%
California	82.4%	89.1%	87.6%	76.5%	82.3%	82.9%	84.3%	81.8%
Hawaii	84.4%	88.5%	78.3%	85.7%	85.9%	82.8%	84.9%	84.2%
States not shown separately	81.9%	82.3%	83.2%	80.3%	81.3%	83.0%	83.1%	81.4%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1996 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.
Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

Table II. B. 2. a(1996) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State: United States, 1996 (40 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	0. 65%	0. 75%	0. 51%	0. 99%	0. 54%	1. 18%	0. 44%	0. 80%
New England:								
Maine	1. 04%	7. 07%	5. 22%	2. 60%	1. 94%	1. 34%	4. 22%	1. 04%
Massachusetts	3. 53%	4. 04%	3. 41%	5. 50%	3. 66%	5. 83%	4. 35%	3. 47%
Connecticut	2. 09%	4. 94%	3. 66%	4. 49%	5. 11%	3. 72%	3. 14%	2. 53%
Middle Atlantic:								
New York	1. 97%	2. 76%	4. 39%	2. 19%	4. 04%	4. 30%	2. 69%	2. 95%
New Jersey	1. 90%	1. 95%	4. 51%	4. 67%	4. 85%	3. 49%	2. 03%	2. 38%
Pennsylvania	2. 08%	4. 36%	5. 10%	3. 92%	4. 32%	4. 47%	2. 39%	2. 99%
East North Central:								
Ohio	2. 05%	2. 00%	3. 38%	4. 44%	2. 57%	3. 53%	1. 51%	2. 43%
Indiana	2. 26%	5. 67%	5. 64%	3. 66%	6. 92%	3. 47%	2. 99%	2. 53%
Illinois	2. 66%	2. 84%	4. 75%	3. 76%	4. 36%	4. 59%	2. 92%	3. 34%
Michigan	2. 96%	3. 77%	5. 67%	5. 16%	2. 86%	6. 04%	2. 96%	3. 32%
Wisconsin	1. 57%	3. 33%	5. 15%	1. 96%	5. 14%	2. 93%	3. 07%	2. 10%
West North Central:								
Minnesota	2. 32%	3. 43%	6. 05%	6. 48%	7. 37%	4. 34%	2. 87%	2. 81%
Iowa	3. 06%	7. 53%	7. 27%	4. 64%	6. 88%	3. 17%	6. 27%	2. 53%
Missouri	3. 09%	5. 22%	3. 48%	5. 01%	2. 79%	5. 11%	3. 30%	3. 83%
Nebraska	3. 36%	3. 74%	10. 80%	5. 37%	6. 59%	5. 94%	6. 80%	3. 69%
Kansas	4. 53%	2. 98%	3. 48%	3. 98%	8. 40%	7. 45%	2. 66%	6. 32%
South Atlantic:								
Maryland	3. 88%	4. 23%	6. 72%	6. 14%	4. 48%	4. 36%	4. 78%	3. 79%
Virginia	3. 52%	3. 41%	5. 57%	2. 66%	4. 50%	5. 67%	1. 99%	4. 09%
West Virginia	3. 42%	6. 74%	9. 09%	4. 60%	5. 36%	5. 98%	2. 59%	4. 55%
North Carolina	2. 87%	6. 19%	3. 57%	6. 32%	5. 23%	3. 32%	3. 26%	2. 83%
South Carolina	1. 97%	5. 93%	9. 32%	5. 53%	3. 28%	2. 39%	3. 16%	2. 17%
Georgia	3. 61%	3. 85%	5. 02%	7. 42%	2. 58%	6. 18%	4. 32%	4. 55%
Florida	1. 79%	2. 86%	3. 67%	4. 19%	4. 29%	3. 38%	2. 12%	2. 13%
East South Central:								
Kentucky	1. 95%	3. 82%	6. 05%	6. 14%	5. 02%	2. 61%	4. 89%	2. 31%
Tennessee	3. 75%	3. 68%	9. 50%	1. 73%	3. 24%	5. 63%	1. 52%	4. 25%
Alabama	2. 03%	3. 21%	4. 49%	2. 54%	9. 33%	2. 98%	2. 02%	2. 59%
Mississippi	3. 75%	4. 90%	7. 21%	5. 63%	3. 40%	5. 51%	4. 38%	3. 87%
West South Central:								
Arkansas	3. 13%	5. 92%	9. 70%	5. 46%	3. 41%	5. 41%	3. 75%	3. 99%
Louisiana	4. 61%	3. 90%	3. 51%	10. 06%	7. 52%	5. 50%	3. 37%	5. 74%
Oklahoma	3. 61%	3. 52%	13. 35%	4. 27%	10. 88%	5. 71%	2. 99%	4. 17%
Texas	4. 00%	3. 41%	3. 66%	1. 26%	6. 21%	5. 61%	2. 17%	4. 66%
Mountain:								
Colorado	2. 66%	4. 38%	9. 89%	2. 69%	5. 16%	5. 40%	2. 40%	3. 62%
New Mexico	4. 41%	5. 13%	10. 04%	6. 77%	6. 52%	8. 23%	3. 77%	5. 84%
Arizona	2. 79%	3. 60%	3. 73%	4. 45%	6. 88%	3. 98%	1. 75%	3. 23%
Utah	3. 62%	2. 47%	4. 64%	3. 87%	6. 38%	4. 98%	2. 29%	4. 42%
Nevada	4. 09%	5. 83%	4. 91%	3. 80%	5. 59%	6. 23%	2. 47%	4. 73%
Pacific:								
Washington	3. 81%	2. 94%	5. 58%	6. 41%	5. 31%	8. 95%	2. 83%	4. 53%
Oregon	1. 35%	2. 73%	4. 30%	2. 50%	5. 85%	3. 05%	2. 28%	2. 19%
California	1. 08%	2. 32%	2. 10%	3. 14%	2. 72%	3. 03%	1. 19%	1. 19%
Hawaii	2. 08%	2. 40%	4. 81%	3. 61%	3. 16%	5. 68%	2. 57%	2. 73%
States not shown separately	2. 44%	3. 69%	2. 72%	3. 09%	4. 06%	4. 52%	2. 18%	3. 14%

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